

## HELLO AGAIN

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**A PERSONAL NOTE:** We lost two very good Friends of Old-time Radio. **Bob Matthews** who attended our convention, died in his sleep just a few days later. Bob was an active member of the Manhattan Radio Club and helped us on our committee...**Cortlandt Parent** died recently at a nursing home in New York. Cort specialized in Fred Allen and Baby Snooks...**Larry Kiner's** business may be run by his son but this is not definite. I will keep you informed as I find out information...Does anyone know the address of **Laura Lee**, head of the Jack Benny Fan Club? Her last letter addressed to 100 Pasito Ter. #108 in Sunnyvale, CA 94086 was returned...I am still looking for one issue of Hello Again: **Vol 2 #12**. Thank you for copies of the other issues I was looking for...I celebrated my 60th birthday on November 25th, my wife, Karen, is younger, my daughter, Robin was recently 31 and my son, Craig, whom many of you saw at the convention, is 30. My two grandchildren, Jacob and Lucas, are 3 and 1.

**For Sale:** I have **12 Radio Guides** for sale. Each one is \$6.00 plus \$1.00 postage and handling. (1938) Week ending Nov 19 (1939) Week ending Jan 7; Feb 4; Apr 29; May 20; June 10; Jul 28; Aug 4; Aug 18; (1941) Aug 23 - 29; Oct 4 - 10; Nov 22 - 28...I also have 2 copies of "**Years of the Electric Ear**," Norman Corwin interviewed by Douglas Bell. We sold this at our convention and have 2 left. Cost for each is \$40 plus \$2.50 postage and handling.

**There are many radio guides that I am still looking for.** If you have some for sale at a reasonable price, please let me know and I will send you a list.

**ULTIMATE LOG:** The **Second Supplement** is now available for **\$5 plus \$1.50 postage and handling**. Supplement 1 and 2 are **\$13 plus \$1.50 postage and handling**. The entire book with the two supplements is **\$52 plus \$4 for P & H**.

**CONVENTION 1994:** For sale are 1993 pens, \$1.00 each; 1994 magnets, \$1.00 each; 1994 Convention Books, \$2.00 each. Please add 50 cents P & H for the pens and magnets and 75 cents P & H for the booklet. Many thanks to Tracey Campbell for a \$50 donation.

**The video tapes of the 1994 convention** will be available by December 10th. Contact Don Aston at AVPRO; Box 1392, Lake Elsinore, CA 92531; (909) 244-5242. Cost is \$45 for the complete package which consists of 2 8-hour tapes and 1 6-hour tape; if you just want the re-creations, the cost is \$20 for one tape. If you want the audio tapes, the cost is \$15 for 4 audio tapes.

**CONVENTION 1995:** The annual planning meeting will be held on a Sunday in January or February at the Holiday Inn-North. If you are not on the committee and would like to attend, please let me know and I will let you know the date when it is decided. If you would like to help but can't attend, please let me know what you would like to do. If you want to run a panel or workshop, let me know as soon as possible. We don't know how many re-creations we will have, but if you would like to direct one, please let me know the details. Many attendees suggest guests to invite. Most people we invite either do not respond or are not interested. If you know of a guest that hasn't attended **and** have talked to that person **and** that person seems to be interested, then let me know.

**PUBLICATIONS RECEIVED:** **Nostalgia Digest**, Oct - Nov; articles on Glenn Miller, Boris Karloff, FDR, Norman Corwin...**SPERDVAC Radiogram**, Sep; articles on Forrest Owen, Robert E. Lee (radio/television/stage playwright)...Nov - Dec; Many reprints of arti-



cles celebrating the 20th Anniversary Edition...**Old Time Radio Digest**, Jul – Aug; articles on Arch Oboler by Gary Yoggy and Information and Help to the Collector, Part 2 by Terry Salomonson...Sep – Oct; articles about the last Cincinnati convention and Bob Hastings; Old-time radio and computers by Bob Burnham...**Tune In**, Sep; articles and/or logs of Witch's Tale, Hermit's Cave...**Illustrated Press**, Sep; article on The Shadow...Oct; article on the Whistler...Nov; article on Mounties in OTR History by Jack French...**Radio Recall**, Oct; article about the Broadcast Pioneers Library. It looks like all the material in this oldest archive of broadcast history will be boxed and shipped to the archives of the University of Maryland.. **Thrilling Days of Yesteryear**, Nov – Dec; article on the March of Time...**RLL On the Air**, Oct; articles on War of the Worlds; Sound Effects; 1920's radio; Today's Serious Collector by Bob Burnham, and Marion Harris...**Daily Sentinel**, Nov – Dec; articles about movies to radio; Christmas on Radio; newspaper articles on the July reunion of the Fred Waring Pennsylvanians. The DS has detailed obituaries...**Laugh**, # 9; articles and/or logs about Sidney James; The Burkiss Way; Australian TV comedy in the 1980's; Michael Flanders and Donald Swann; Shelly Berman...#10; articles and/or log about Paul Hogan; Honeymooners; Beyond Our Ken; Alan Sherman; The Rag Trade...**NARA News**, Fall; this long running publication of NARA is now edited by James Snyder; articles about Rudy Vallee; Bobby Benson; Radio in Canada

**BOOKS:** As many of you know, Greenwood Publishing Group has published many bio-bibliographies in the performing arts. James Robert Parish is the series editor. About 60 have been published. For a list or to order call 1-800-225-5800. Recently published was Eleanor Powell by Margie Schultz (\$59.95)... From Scarecrow Press (1-800-537-7107) is **Norman Corwin: Years of the Electric Ear**; interviewed by Douglas Bell; 325 pages, \$45; 1994. This volume is compiled from interviews of Norman Corwin conducted by Douglas Bell. There is a wealth of information plus a full list of professional credits...**Barricade Books**, 61 4th Ave., New York, NY 10003 has just published several books including **Here's Morgan** by Henry Morgan which I mentioned last issue (\$22; 1994); **Candidly, Allen Funt** by Allen Funt (\$22; 1994); **Hi – Ho Steverino** by Steve Allen (\$12.95; 1992). All 3 are informally written and anecdotal....James McCahery has written his second novel in his series about septuagenarian sleuth, Lavina London, a widow and former radio soap-opera star. This is called **What Evil Lurks** and is available for \$16.95 from Kensington Publishing Group, 850 Third Ave., New York, NY 10022 around January of 1995...**Winchell** by Neal Gabler; Alfred A. Knopf, 201 East 50th St., New York, NY 10022. This is a 500 page book covering all aspects of Walter Winchell's life. Winchell emerges as a strangely emblematic figure and was one of the principal architects of modern American culture. Cost is \$30...**After many years** I heard from **Meade Frierson III**, Box 130969, Birmingham, AL 35213. Meade has revised his Science Fiction on Radio and it is now at the printers. I will let you know when it is available...**The Victory Era in Color** by Jeff Ethell has 350 rare 1940's photos of World War II. It has 172 pages and costs \$14.98 plus \$2.50 for P & H. You can order from Reminisce Books, Box 990, Greendale, WI 53129 (1-800) 558-1013

**CLUBS AND ORGANIZATIONS:** The new West Coast branch of **New York's Museum of Television & Radio** will be named after Leonard Goldenson.. It is scheduled to open late next year. It will be located at the corner of North Beverly Drive and Little Santa Monica in Beverly Hills...**The 6th Annual Radio Classics Live** will be held April 7 – 8, 1995 at Massasoit Community College on Friday and Holiday Inn in Randolph, MA on Saturday. Tentative guests include Parley Baer, Fred Foy and Peg Lynch. All proceeds go to the Peg Lynch Radio/TV Scholarship Fund. Contact Bob Bowers for details at Massasoit Com. College, 1 Massasoit Blvd., Brockton, MA 02402 (508) 588-9100, ext 1906 or evenings at (508) 295-5877.. **The New Orleans Radio Theater** is now offering a newsletter. For details contact Charlie Matkin, 6404 Beauregard Ave., New Orleans, LA 70124 (504) 283-2892...**Ray Schnitzer** is offering a lecture Jul 9 – 15, 1995 on The Magic Box: Radio's Golden Age for the Episcopal Conference Center. For details, place, etc. contact Ray at 430 East 86th St., #15A, New York, NY



10028...If you are interested in Sherlock Holmes, you will be interested in **The Sherlockian Times**, put out by Classic Specialties (Carolyn and Joel Senter), Box 19058, Cincinnati, OH 45219. This is a catalog/Newsletter/Journal for friends of Sherlock Holmes and his times. The issue I have (Fall/Winter) is \$2.00...If you are interested in the **Patsy Montana International Fan Club** write to Ruth Dennett, 3728 Highway 411, Madisonville, TN 37354...The **Radio Hall of Fame** in Chicago has its annual induction ceremonies November 6. Inducted were Garrison Keillor, Red Skelton, Gary Owens and Burns and Allen...The **Broadcasting and Cable Hall of Fame** had its ceremonies on November 7.

**LOGS:** Many new logs are available, mainly thanks to Randy Eidemiller who on his own or with Ray Stanich developed many of the following:

**Adventures By Morse and I Love Adventure (\$1.50)**  
**Adventures of Philip Marlowe (\$1.50)**  
**The Black Chapel (\$.50)**  
**Broadway if My Beat (\$1.00)**  
**The City (Partial) (\$.50)**  
**The Clock and Weird Circle (\$.50)**  
**Detour (\$.50)**  
**Post Toasties Time and Baby Snooks (9/17/44 - 5/28/48 ) (Most) (\$2.00)**  
**Have Gun will Travel (\$.50)**  
**Jeff Regan (\$.50)**  
**Mysterious Traveler (\$2.00)**  
**Nightbeat (\$.50)**  
**Nightfall (CBC) (\$1.50)**  
**On Stage (\$.50)**  
**Pat Novak (\$.50)**  
**Quiet Please (\$1.00)**  
**Rocky Jordan (\$1.00)**  
**Theater Five (\$2.00)**

**Randy Eidemiller**, 7700 Lampson #37, Garden Grove, CA 92641 is looking for 6 Theater Five which apparently are still not available: #207 - Will Integrity Ruin Clint Marble; #219 - And Dream No More; #223 - The Big Lonely; #225 - The Bottom of the Bottle; #226 - The Manor House; #234 - A Cup of Snow for Lt. Vogel

Randy also sent me new information for 1/16/39 - 4/1/40 episodes of ILAM. If you would like it, just send a SASE.

**COLLECTORS LIST:** After 10 years, I have finally revised my Collector List. Many of the addresses were hopelessly outdated. I eliminated many collectors because I have lost contact with them. I have also updated many addresses. If you would like this update, please send a SASE.

**CATALOGS AND NEW SHOWS:** **BRC Productions**, Box 2645, Livonia, MI 48151 (Bob Burnham) has a fall supplement which includes Bulldog Drummond; Fat Man; Jack Benny; Rocky Fortune, Suspense...**Hello Again Radio**, Box 6176, Cincinnati, OH 45206 (Bob Burchett) has a new supplement including Great Gildersleeve, Aldrich Family, Richard Diamond, Frontier Gentleman...**Vintage Broadcasts**, 42 Bowling Green, Staten Island, NY 10314 (Andy Blatt) has new supplements including Jack Benny, Mysterious Traveler, Duffy's Tavern, Ozzie and Harriet...**Great American Radio** (Gary Kramer) Box 504, Genesee, MI 48437 (810) 686-5973; new supplement with a wide variety including Fibber McGee, Frontier Gentle-



man, I Was A Communist For the FBI, Let's Pretend...**AVPRO** (Don Aston), Box 1392, Lake Elsinore, CA 92531 (904) 244-5242; latest supplement includes 18 series in 6 C-90 cassettes in an attractive album; also Frontier Town, Rocky Fortune, Challenge of the Yukon, Black Museum, Serials...**Metro Golden Memories** (Chuck Schaden), 5425 W. Addison St., Chicago, IL 60641 (1-800-538-6675); Chuck and I go back to 1970. There is a wide variety of shows including Life With Luigi, Inner Sanctum, Bickersons, Lum and Abner...**Adventures in Cassettes**, 1-800-328-0108 has catalog #77 containing new Amos 'n' Andy; Burns and Allen.

**LET THE BUYER BEWARE:** It has come to my attention that DC Comics is trying to stop the selling of its Superman shows by dealers. As I learn more I will let you know. It might be wise to not sell those shows for the time being.

**OTR AND THE COMPUTER:** Bob Burnham is extremely knowledgeable on the subject and recommends that if you have a modem, be a part of Internet OTR. You just have to subscribe to CompuServe, America Online or others.

**NEW ADDRESSES:** **Joan and Barney Beck**, Brockett Rd. Box 204, Windham, NY 12496 (518) 734-6199...**Herb Carlin**, 6 Abidan Way, Califon, NJ 07830...**Barry Hill**, Rt 1 Box 197, Belpre, OH 45714...**Steven Jeremko**, 2201 Owego Rd., Vestal, NY 13850.. **Rosa Rio**, 1847 Wolf Laurel Ln., Sun City Center, FL 33573...**William Wishman**, 62 Fillmore Ave., So. Portland, ME 04106.

**NEW FRIENDS AND RETURNEES:** **Gordon Gregersen**, 13729 NE Klickitat Ct., Portland, OR 97230...**Angele Danzi**, Ph.D., Dept of Sociology, State University of New York, College of Technology at Farmingdale, NY 11735 (516) 420-2669 Ext 2573 is interested in knowing if anyone has recordings of WHOM, which broadcast in New York after 1945 or any ethnic radio stations, especially in the New York area...**Allen Schottenfeld**, 21 Mayhew Dr., South Orange, NJ 07079 is looking for the last live Lone Ranger radio show done on Friday, September 3, 1954....**John Sudlow**, 1032 Cherry Ln., Floral Park, NY 11001...**Carolyn Andrade**, 1334 31st St., NW, Washington, DC 20007 has several old radio for sale. Contact her at (202) 965-5112 if you are interested...**Barry Brooks**, 54 Woodside Ave., Winthrop, MA 02152. Barry is a dentist and the 2 of us go back 25 years. Barry started collecting in the sixties.. **Ed Everson**, Box 372, Hasbrouck Heights, NJ 07604...**Ted Shumaker**, 546 N. Mulberry St., Wilmington, OH 45177...**Fred Hinz**, 1250 Ivanhoe St., Denver, CO 80220...**John Reynolds**, 1025 West Wildwood Ave., Fort Wayne, IN 46807. John is very interested in Suspense and Inner Sanctum...**Richard Scheckman**, 189-15 Radnor Rd., Jamaica, NY 11423.. **Arthur Rath**, 5635 Willows Rd., Alpine, CA 91901...**Joel Adelman**, 1060 N. Glenhurst, Birmingham, MI 48009...**Carl Aspland, Jr.**, 150 Robertson St., Bristol, CT 06010...**Dick Dudley** (announcer), 2 Breezy Knoll Rd., Willow St., PA 17584...**Bill Herold**, 2131 San Lu Rae Dr., E Grand Rapids, MI 49506...**Ted McGaffin**, 33 Spring St., Norwood, Ontario, Canada K0L 2V0...**Tom Eurich, Jr.**, Box 5304, Dearborn, MI 48128. Tom and Bob Burnham are working together on their Collector's Radio Network...**Ed Prassi**, 2602 Doris Ave., Union, NJ 07083...**Brian Gari**, 650 West End Ave., New York, NY 10025. Brian is the grandson of Eddie Cantor and has six complete Eddie Cantor Shows digitally remastered. He sold them at our convention. Cost is \$15 for cassettes and \$25 for CD's. Add \$3.00 for P & H. Shows included are 4/1/42; 12/23/42; 2/3/43; 3/31/43; 5/5/43; 5/19/43...**Jay Marquard**, 4418 Shabbona, Lisle, IL 60532...**Arthur Abramowitz**, 430 Shore Rd. #2D, Long Beach, NY 11561...**James Banister**, 17015 Glacier Ridge Rd., Fort Wayne, IN 46845...**Floyd Blount**, Box 191, Brownsville, TX 75756...**Phil Bellucci**, 521 Amsterdam Ave., Roselle Park, NJ 07204 has a floor model tube type 1936 radio which he needs fixed...**John Domka**, 4236 Moonstone Dr., Eagan, MN 55122...**James Dreckmann**, 1055 E. Milwaukee Ave., Oak Creek, WI 53154...**Richard Johnson**, 210 N. Lafayette, Macomb, IL 61455...**Don Daudelin**, 215 Columbia, Macomb, IL



**OLD FRIENDS:** Nick Williams, 6054 Wooten Dr., Falls Church, VA 22044 wants to know the identity of the actor who played Skip Turner in Adventures By Morse. He is also seeking a log of the Adventures of Harry Nile...**Haney Hinkel**, 254 Florida Ave., Amsterdam, NY 12010 still looking for Desi Arnaz broadcasts of his 1951 show, "Your Tropical Trip."...**Bob Burnham** (BRC) has a new voice phone (313) 277-3798; 24-hour Dedicated FAX is (203) 277-3095. BRC Productions becomes the first old-time radio business in the world to be available worldwide via the live Internet link (Information Superhighway)...**Don Brush** tells us of a music store in Florida that deals in old records (Sir Arthur Oldies, 7401 NW 57th St., Tamarac, FL 33319 (305) 722-8303...**Mel Simons** mentions that he does a nostalgia show every Monday night at midnight on radio station WBZ (1030 AM). The 50,000 watt station reaches 38 states and Canada. Mel plays a lot of old-time radio...**Karl Shadow**, 221A Kirkland Dr., Richmond, VA 23227 is looking for the address of Victor Ives; also information on Australian Series of The Shadow including Reds Johnson and Grace Gibson.

**IN FOND MEMORY:** Jessica Tandy, Sep 11, 80; with Hume Cronyn were widely considered the successors to Alfred Lunt and Lynn Fontanne as America's preeminent acting couple. They starred in The Marriage on radio 1953 - 54...**Nomi Mitty**, Aug 24, 54; actress (The Goldbergs)...**James Monks**, Oct 9, 81; James had attended our convention in the past (The Avenger; Mr. Moto)...**Harriet Nelson**, Oct 2, 85; Singer, radio and TV star with husband, Ozzie.. **Robert Bloch**, Sep 23, 77; prolific mystery writer; Had a radio series called Stay Tuned For Terror around 1945. None of this series has surfaced...**Iris Adrian**, Sep 17, 81; Actress (Jimmy Durante, Abbott and Costello)...**Martha Raye**, Oct 19, 78; entertainer, guested on several radio shows including Eddie Cantor and Bob Hope...**E. John Lewis**, Oct 11, 78; founder of the Pacifica Radio Network...**Burt Lancaster**, Oct 20, 80; became a star in his first screen role in The Killers. In at least 6 Lux and 2 Suspense...**Cab Calloway**, Nov 18, 86; had his own Quizzicale radio program during 1941 and 1942.

Write if you get work; and hang by your thumbs

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## CONVENTION HIGHLIGHTS

1994

The Friends of Old-time Radio held its 19th Annual Convention from October 20th – 22nd, 1994 at the Holiday Inn – North, Newark, New Jersey. Celebrities present who received awards were: **George Balzer, Bob Drew, Dick Dudley, Ed Kemmer, Rex Koury and Jeanette Nolan.** Other celebrities present were **Arthur Anderson, George Ansbro, John and Ann Archer, Barney Beck, Jackson Beck, Vivian Block, Warren Bryan, Lon Clark, Gwen Davies, Bob Dryden, Ray Erlenborn, Lee Erwin, Harry Fleetwood, Earl George, Bob Hastings, Pat Hosley, Florence James, Raymond Edward Johnson, Rita Lloyd, Ted Mallie, Charlotte Manson, Bill Murtough, Clive Rice, Rosemary Rice, Rosa Rio, Adele Ronson, Terry Ross, Joan Shea, Margot Stevenson, Hal Stone, Arthur Tracy, Sybil Trent and Jane Ward.** The guests socialized with fans, participated in panels and workshops and re-created 6 radio shows.

The convention began Wednesday evening with complimentary wine and cheese for the overnight guests. About 60 people attended. On Thursday, many dealers opened at 9 am. There was one afternoon workshop: **John Rayburn** presented "The Thrilling Days of Yesteryear." Then we had cocktails and dinner. Sixty-three fans attended during the day. One hundred forty-eight fans and guests attended in the evening. The highlight of the evening were **Janet Cantor Gari** and **Brian Gari** who reminisced about Eddie Cantor. Also introduced were Marla Slosberg whose father was Charlie Cantor and Tracey Campbell whose parents were Nora Marlowe and James McCallion. Barney Beck also reminisced. The winner of the original radio play was announced. The winner was Michael Giorgio. The play will be presented next year.

Friday began at 9:00 with the opening of the dealers room. Sixty dealer tables were active during the convention. Two hundred thirty-nine people attended dinner with another 108 in the afternoon. Workshops and panels included the following: **Jack French** talked about Aviation Heroes; **Tim Coco** and friends gave a tribute to Fred Allen; **Mitchell Weisberg** ran a quiz show; The **Gotham Radio Players** present Lights Out, "The Bark of the Dead Dog;" **Mike Mandel**, with the help of **Rosa Rio, Rex Koury and Lee Erwin** presented a panel on Music and Its Interaction with Drama and Comedy; **Raymond Edward Johnson** gave another of his stirring readings; **Dave Zwengler** hosted "America's Town Meeting;" **Larry and John Gassman** with the help of **George Balzer** gave a tribute to Jack Benny. After dinner The **Boogie Woogie Girls and Company E** entertained us with songs. **Jeanette Nolan** was then featured in a re-creation of Escape; then **Arthur Anderson, Gordon Kelley, Fran Striker, Jr., and Jordan Young** talked about their books.

Saturday the panels and workshops included the following: **Dave Zwengler** presented his quiz show; **Gary Yoggy** presented a look at Christmas Programs; **Lon Clark and Margot Stevenson** were featured in The Comic Weekly Man; **Arthur Anderson** hosted a panel with many former child actors. **Bob Hastings, Rosemary Rice, Hal Stone, Joan Shea, Pat Hosley and Dick Dudley** were then featured in a re-creation of Archie Andrews; **George Edwards** presented a panel on classical music in radio with the help of **George Jelinek, Howard Taubman** and others; An episode of the **Shadow** was then presented featuring **John Archer, Margot Stevenson, Ted Mallie** and others.

Saturday's events culminated with cocktails and buffet dinner for 318 people with another 177 coming for the day. After dinner **Arthur Anderson** then led an all star cast of former child actors in a re-creation of Let's Pretend, "Rumpelstiltskin;" A variety show ended the program featuring **Charlotte Schaefer, Eddie Layton, Al Monroe** who accepted our donation to The Society of Singers and a surprise guest, **Les Paul**. The program wound up with **Will Jordan** who entertained us with his comedy and impressions.

Besides the awards mentioned earlier, two Allen Rockford Awards were presented to **Bill Bragg and Dave Siegel** for their outstanding efforts in keeping radio alive. Special awards were given to **Arthur Tracy and Bob Dryden**. Both have attended our convention for several years and have always been willing to help. Other donations were given to the Veteran's Bedside Network, The Stephanie Joyce Kahn Foundation, The Episcopal Actors Guild and Heller Memorial Foundation of AFTRA.

I again want to thank all the guests who were very gracious in granting interviews and giving of their time to be with us.



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## **Supplement #2**

**The Ultimate History of Network Radio  
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*Written by Jay Hickerson  
October, 1994*

**Lists many changes and additions to network programming.**

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## LOGS AND LISTINGS FOR COLLECTORS OF OLD-TIME RADIO PROGRAMS

**HELLO AGAIN:** Now in its 25th year, Hello Again is the oldest independent newsletter dedicated to the traders and collectors of old-time radio shows. Much of the information it contains is contributed by collectors including: problems and techniques in dubbing, tape quality, what different collectors are doing and what they are looking for, updated info about new radio shows being circulated and logs related to old-time radio, deaths of radio personalities and much more. It also keeps you up to date on the annual Friends of Old-time Radio Convention. The next convention is Oct. 19 – 21, 1995 at the Holiday Inn-North, Newark, NJ.

The first issue received includes listings of all OTR clubs, publications, many dealers, all logs available and many radio stations playing OTR. It runs about 4 to 8 pages an issue.

**Subscription is \$12.00 a year** for 6 issues per year. Send a SASE for a complimentary copy. Back issues are \$2.00. Ads are accepted.

**SUSPENSE LOG:** This 50-page log lists every show chronologically and alphabetically. Each entry lists date, title, and up to 2 performers when known. It also includes an introductory part listing directors, producers, musicians, sponsors and other important information. This log was recently revised in November of 1992. **Cost is \$9.50** including P & H.

### **MORE LOGS AND LISTS:** (All are complete unless indicated)

All circulating shows indicated on Benny, Lux, Fred Allen, ILAM, Mercury Theater, Theater Guild on the Air and Columbia Workshop logs

**Jack Benny (completely revised as of October, 1991) \$10.00**

**Lux Radio Theater (completely revised; many new cast members) \$8.00**

**Theater Guild on the Air (Completely revised with cast and authors) \$6.00**

**Necrology of** over 1400 radio personalities; includes date of death and age at death. All those known who died between 1970 and October of 1992 are covered. Many who died before 1970 are also covered. **\$7.00**

<b>I Love a Mystery (Revised)</b>	<b>\$2.00</b>	<b>Fred Allen (Revised)</b>	<b>\$6.50</b>
<b>Mercury Theater (Revised)</b>	<b>\$2.00</b>	<b>Columbia Workshop (Revised)</b>	<b>\$4.00</b>
Sherlock Holmes	\$5.00	Screen Guild Theater	\$5.00
One Man's Family	\$2.50	Green Hornet (mostly complete)	\$4.00
List of Collectors (200)	\$3.00	Gunsmoke	\$6.50
Escape	\$2.50	Guide for Beginning Collectors	\$2.50
4 pages of tips on taping	\$1.50	Selected bibliography of books	
Eddie Cantor	\$4.00	about radio programming and	
Bob Hope	\$4.00	personalities (360 books)	\$5.00
Jimmie Durante	\$1.00	Burns and Allen	\$1.50
*Mysterious Traveler	\$2.00	*Theater 5	\$2.00
*Quiet Please	\$1.00	*Broadway is My Beat	\$1.00

**All logs written by Ray Stanich and Randy Eidemiller** are now available. Send SASE for listing. Randy wrote those with (\*)

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# Vintage Broadcasts

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056CX	<b>FIBBER MCGEE &amp; MOLLY</b> - Spirit of Giving 12/25/51
	<b>CHARLIE MCCARTHY</b> - Night Before Christmas 12/24/49
057CX	<b>BING CROSBY</b> - w/Ethel Barrymore 12/21/49 & <b>MILTON BERLE</b> - "Christmas" 12/23/47
058CX	<b>UNIT BATH CLUB REVIEW</b> - w/Fred Allen 12/25/32
	<b>VIC &amp; SADE</b> - Christmas Cards, C.O.D. & Christmas Cards from Vic's Boss
059CX	<b>RADIO HALL OF FAME</b> - w/Bing Crosby, Orson Welles 12/24/44 (60 minutes)
060CX	<b>COMMAND PERFORMANCE</b> - Christmas Special w/ Hope, Eddy, Jones, Shore, Benny, Allen (90 min)
061CX	<b>HERD WOLFE</b> - (CBC/Stereo) #5 Christmas Party
062CX	<b>CASEY, CRIME PHOTOGRAPHER</b> - Santa Claus of Bum's Blvd. 12/25/47
	<b>CANDY MATSON</b> - Jack Frost
063CX	<b>DIANA SHORE</b> - 12/25/42 & <b>JUDY CANOVA</b> - 12/21/46
064CX	<b>CAMPBELL PLAYHOUSE</b> - Christmas Carol with Lionel Barrymore (hosted by Orson Welles)
065CX	<b>BROADWAY IS MY BEAT</b> - Nick Norman and Santa Claus 12/24/49
	<b>BIG TOWN</b> - Prelude to Christmas 12/21/48
066CX	<b>THIS IS YOUR FBI</b> - Snow Screen 12/19/52
	<b>LONE RANGER</b> - His Partner's Ghost 12/23/38
067CX	<b>LUX RADIO THEATER</b> - Remember the Night 12/22/41
068CX	<b>BOB HOPE</b> - Bob as Santa (VG) & <b>LET'S PRETEND</b> - #6 The House of the World 12/26/42
069CX	<b>JOHNNY DOLLAR</b> - Nick Shurn Matter 12/19-12/23/56
070CX	<b>AFRS CHRISTMAS SHOW</b> - w/Al Jolson, Oscar Levant, Boris Karloff
	"Littlest Angel" - read by Loretta Young
	<b>FRONT PAGE DRAMA</b> - "Christmas Eve Ghost" & <b>BACHELOR'S CHILDREN</b> - Baby Arrives
071CX	<b>JACK BENNY</b> - 12/14/52 & <b>LIFE OF RILEY</b> - No Christmas Bonus? 12/24/46
072CX	<b>BELL TELEPHONE HOUR</b> - w/Martha Scott
073CX	<b>BOB HOPE</b> - 12/24/53 w/Frank Sinatra & <b>BURNS &amp; ALLEN</b> - 12/40
074CX	<b>BING CROSBY</b> - 12/53 (flux) & <b>DORIS DAY</b> - 12/53
075CX	<b>OUR MISS BROOKS</b> - 12/52 & <b>LIFE WITH LUIGI</b> - "Christmas Present"
076CX	<b>MEET THE MEES</b> - 12/25/48 (VG) & <b>JUDY CANOVA</b>
077CX	<b>SUSPENSE</b> - 'twas the Night Before Christmas (flux) 12/21/53 & #732 Dog Star 12/22/57
078CX	<b>DAMON RUNYON</b> - Dancing Dan's Christmas
	<b>COLUMBIA WORKSHOP</b> - The Day they Gave Babies Away
079CX	<b>GRAND CENTRAL STATION</b> - Miracle at Christmas 12/21/46
	<b>FIRST NIGHTER</b> - Little Town of Bethlehem 12/22/45
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| 014CX | <b>RADIO CITY PLAYHOUSE</b> - Three Men 12/20/48 & <b>CBS RADIO WORKSHOP</b> - All is Bright                   |
| 015CX | <b>RED SKELTON</b> - Christmas Stories 12/24/46 & <b>ARCHIE ANDREWS</b> - Shopping 12/13/47                    |
| 016CX | <b>SUSPENSE</b> - #72 Back for Christmas 12/23/43 & <b>THEATER OF ROMANCE</b> - Messiah                        |
| 017CX | <b>ESCAPE</b> - Back for Christmas 12/24/47 & <b>MYSTERIOUS TRAVELER</b> - Christmas Story                     |
| 018CX | <b>SHERLOCK HOLMES</b> - Christmas Bride 12/21/47 (John Stanley) (G-VG) & Christmas Eve (Rathbone/Bruce) (VG)  |
| 019CX | <b>FIBBER MCGEE &amp; MOLLY</b> - Making Christmas Cards   |
|       | <b>BLONDIE</b> - Christmas Dilemma 12/15/48 (no closing; program is intact)                                    |
| 020CX | <b>JACK BENNY</b> - Christmas Shopping 12/17/39 (East Coast/West Coast broadcasts)                             |
| 021CX | <b>JACK BENNY</b> - Open House 12/24/39 & Christmas Shopping 12/19/48  |
| 022CX | <b>JACK BENNY</b> - Christmas at Jack's 12/25/38 & Christmas Shopping 12/11/38                                 |
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| 024CX | <b>SCREEN DIRECTOR'S PLAYHOUSE</b> - "Miracle on 34th Street" 12/21/50 w/ Edmund Gwenn                         |
| 026CX | <b>BREAKFAST CLUB</b> - Christmas in September & Christmas at the Hotel Sherman                                |
| 027CX | <b>THE LONE RANGER</b> - #2799 "Christmas Tree" & "A Christmas Carol"  |
| 028CX | <b>OUR MISS BROOKS</b> - Schoolteacher's Christmas & <b>TAKE IT FROM HERE (BBC)</b> - Christmas with the Glums |
| 029CX | <b>RICHARD DIAMOND</b> - Christmas Carol 12/21/51 & <b>NERO WOLFE</b> - Slaughtered Santas 12/22/50            |
| 030CX | <b>WHISTLER</b> - Christmas Gift 12/23/51 & The Wise Guys 12/24/50   |
| 031CX | <b>CASEY, CRIME PHOTOGRAPHER</b> - Red Raincoat & Christmas Shopping   |
| 032CX | <b>LIFE OF RILEY</b> - Christmas Present 12/17/44 & <b>MEET CORLISS ARCHER</b> - Santa Calls 12/25/43          |
| 033CX | <b>HENRY MORGAN</b> - Christmas Show 12/24/47 & <b>EDDIE CANTOR</b> - Christmas Show 12/20/44                  |
| 034CX | <b>MAN CALLED X</b> - From a Starlit Hill 12/21/47 & <b>RICHARD DIAMOND</b> - Christmas Story 12/24/49         |
| 035CX | <b>AMOS &amp; ANDY</b> - Christmas Show 12/46 & <b>KRAFT MUSIC HALL</b> - w/The Choral Club 12/23/49           |
| 036CX | <b>WHISTLER</b> - Next Year is Mine 12/23/46 & Delayed Christmas Present 12/26/48                              |
| 037CX | <b>THE SIX SHOOTER</b> - Western Christmas Carol & <b>ROY ROGERS SHOW</b> - Christmas Show 12/21/51            |
| 038CX | <b>RED SKELTON SHOW</b> - 12/19/51 & <b>JIMMY DURANTE SHOW</b> - w/Margaret O'Brian 12/24/47                   |
| 039CX | <b>DR. SIXGUN</b> - A Pony for Christmas & <b>HAVE GUN, WILL TRAVEL</b> - #5 Hanging Cross 12/21/58            |
| 040CX | <b>CAVALCADE OF AMERICA</b> - #415 America for Christmas 12/25/44 & #459 Names on the Land 12/24/45            |
| 041CX | <b>WHISTLER</b> - Decision 12/24/47 & <b>VOYAGE OF THE SCARLET QUEEN</b> - #25 15th Llama                      |
| 042CX | <b>LUM &amp; ABNER</b> - 1938 Christmas Seals Show, Decorating the Tree & Baby Born in Barn                    |
| 043CX | <b>OUR MISS BROOKS</b> - Conklin Plays Santa & Magic Christmas Tree  |
| 044CX | <b>SUSPENSE</b> - #630 Present for Benny 12/13/55 & #834 Korean Christmas Carol 12/20/59                       |
| 045CX | <b>SUSPENSE</b> - #784 Out for Christmas 12/21/58 & <b>GUNSMOKE</b> - #247 Beeker's Barn 12/23/56              |
| 046CX | <b>JACK BENNY</b> - Jack goes Christmas Shopping 12/5/54 & Christmas with the Cast in Palm Springs 12/19/54    |
| 047CX | <b>JACK BENNY</b> - Day After Christmas 12/26/54 & Christmas Shopping 12/17/37                                 |
| 048CX | <b>GREAT GILDERSLEEVE</b> - Merry Christmas  |
| 049CX | <b>JACK BENNY</b> - Shopping: - A Wallet for Don 12/19/48 & Last-Minute Shopping 12/21/47                      |
| 050CX | <b>GREAT GILDERSLEEVE</b> - Disappearing Christmas Gifts 12/8 & Economy this Christmas 12/15/48                |
| 051CX | <b>GREAT GILDERSLEEVE</b> - Christmas Program 12/25/46 & Early Christmas Shopping 12/10/47                     |
| 052CX | <b>SUSPENSE</b> - Christmas for Carol 12/21/50 & <b>ESCAPE</b> - The Cave 12/24/50                             |
| 053CX | <b>ABBOTT &amp; COSTELLO</b> - Christmas Party 12/20/45 & Christmas Program 12/24/47 (disc skips)              |
| 054CX | <b>STARS OVER HOLLYWOOD</b> - Time for Christmas 12/12/53 & Christmas Carol 12/19/53                           |
| 055CX | <b>DRAGNET</b> - 22 Rifle for Christmas 12/20/51 & <b>HALLMARK PLAYHOUSE</b> - Story of Silent Night 12/23/48  |